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Camie J. Swanson-Hull, Commissioner Abby R. Gray, Administrative Law Judge Indiana Utility Regulatory Commission 302 W. Washington St., Suite E-306 Indianapolis, IN 46204-2764

Re: Cause 40611-S1, Errata to Phase I Exceptions and Reply

Dear Commissioner Swanson-Hull and Judge Gray:

Ameritech Indiana hereby makes the following "errata" correction to its Exceptions and Reply to CLECs' Proposed Order in Cause 40611-S1 (Phase I). On page 19, in the last full paragraph, first to fourth lines, the text should be corrected as follows:

"Where the CLECs do accurately state the record, for instance in their reporting of the UNE-P installation charges of \$23.09 and \$17.82 in Texas and Michigan respectively, the data prove the absurdity of the NRCM proposal of \$0.25. In fact, the approved figures that the CLECs cite is are 92 and 71-times as much as the CLEC proposal here."

Sincerely,

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~Re:

In the Matter of the Commission Investigation and Generic Proceeding on Ameritech Indiana's Rates for Interconnection, Service, Unbundled Elements and Transport and Termination Under the Telecommunications Act of 1996 and Related Indiana Statutes

Cause No. 40611-S1

Dear Commissioner Swanson-Hull and Judge Gray:

AT&T Communications of Indiana, GP and TCG Indianapolis, Z-Tel Communications, Inc., McLeodUSA-Telecommunications Services, Inc. and WorldCom, Inc. (collectively, the "CLECs") hereby respond to Ty Covey's letter of March 20, 2002 regarding Ameritech's proposed "errata" corrections to its February 1, 2002 Exceptions and Reply to CLECs' Proposed Order.

The CLECs respectfully submit that the proposed redactions, tendered a full seven weeks after the filing of Ameritech's Exceptions and Reply, are not "errata" corrections. Notably, the changes do not correct typographical errors in the cited figures, but rather eliminate them altogether, effectively negating Ameritech Indiana's concession of the accuracy of the CLECs' recitation of the UNE-P installation charges in Michigan. Ameritech's "errata" corrections are not intended to clarify the accuracy of the record in Indiana as to these prices, but are instead geared at impacting certain pending Illinois disputes by "erasing" an admission made by Ameritech in this Indiana pleading and subsequently raised by the CLECs in Illinois.

For this reason, the CLECs urge the Commission to reject Ameritech's proposed "errata" corrections and retain the current language in Ameritech's Exceptions and Reply.



Very truly yours,

Deborah L. Kuhn

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cc: Ty Covey, Counsel for Ameritech Indiana

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Re: Cause No. 40611-S1 - Reply to CLEC Response on Errata Letter

Dear Commissioner Swanson-Hull and Judge Gray:

They urge "rejection" of the errata because it would prevent them from misrepresenting in other states the content of Ameritech Indiana's brief regarding a Michigan rate that is not even at issue here. That is not a legitimate basis for an objection. Ameritech Indiana simply removed certain language in its Exceptions and Reply – it did not add or change anything or create anything new for the CLECs to respond to – in order to improve clarity and to correct a misinterpretation of the deleted language that the CLECs have attempted to use in other states. Moreover, the deleted language bolstered Ameritech Indiana's argument here, so removing it causes absolutely no prejudice to the CLECs or any other party with respect to any issue in this case. The CLECs have not presented any basis for rejecting a completely non-prejudicial errata.

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¹ Specifically, Ameritech Indiana has never "admitted" – and does not admit – that the nonrecurring installation charge for a UNE-P in Michigan is \$17.82. Rather, Ameritech Indiana's brief simply (i) referred to the *CLECs'* recitation of the Michigan rate in "the record," and (ii) argued for rejection of the CLECs' Indiana rate proposal even based on that representation. However, because the CLECs have now attempted in other states to mischaracterize Ameritech Indiana's argument as a "concession" regarding the Michigan rate (though how Ameritech Indiana could "concede" that a rate is something other than what it actually is remains a mystery), an errata is necessary to prevent further misinterpretation.